

May 20, 2010

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.

President of the Senate
H-107 State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 166 – *State Government – State Designations – Review, Evaluation, and Recommendation by the State Archivist*.

This bill authorizes the State Archivist to review, evaluate, and make recommendations to the General Assembly regarding State designations on request, or at the State Archivist's discretion. It requires the State Archivist to review, evaluate, and make recommendations to the General Assembly regarding State designations at the request of the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, or the Chairs of specified legislative committees.

House Bill 345, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 166.

Sincerely,

Governor